



PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Dear Fellow Tritons,

Happy New Year everyone! Hope everyone had a great Holiday Season!

This month because of the Omicron variant our meeting will be virtual only via Zoom. Please do Not come to Club CASA this month.

I did get to talk to Mike, the new manager at the Tap House Grill in Wheeling and he said he is will to let uscome and use the room there for free, provided we can fill the room, that means at least 15 people. I am hoping for the next in person meeting we can try it.

Also, Mike Leibovitz has updated his DAN training and he can teach the latest DAN first aid courses. I know my certification has expired and would like to renew it. I sent out an email about the two different available courses.

Hope everyone is staying well! Remember, if you need anything, please reach out.

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MEMBERSHIP REPORT

January, 2022

Currently we have 53 members, 2 associates for a total of 55.

Adolph Habich - Membership Committee

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BUSINESS MEETING TUESDAY, January 25, 2022, 7:30 pm

Our January meeting will be held over ZOOM -not in person due to the Covid outbreak. Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88063880581?pwd=Z1Z6Ni82WVRhaytzUUFKWjFKSjRoZz09>

Meeting ID: 880 6388 0581 Password: 999424

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2022 TRITON EVENTS CALENDAR

January, 2022

Tue, 1/25	Business Meeting	Meeting to be held via ZOOM
Sun, 1/30	Ice Castles, Lake Geneva	Pam Romund 773-791-3142, promund@gmail.com
Tue, 2/8	Triton Trib Deadline	Pam Romund 773-791-3142, promund@gmail.com
Sun 2/13	SUPERBOWL PARTY Kennedy Home	Pete and Denice Kennedy 847-639-6711 denicekennedy@sbcglobal.net
Sat, 2/19	Lunar New Year Dinner Tasty Cuisine, Des Plaines	Jim Hynan 312-402-1506 Jhynan74@gmail.com
Tue, 2/22	Business Meeting	Location TBD
March, 2022		
Tue, 3/9	Triton Trib Deadline	Pam Romund 773-791-3142, promund@gmail.com
Sat, 3/12	Chicago History Museum	TIC NEEDED
Tue, 3/22	Business Meeting	Location TBD
Sat, 3/26	Greek Food Outing	Pam Romund 773-791-3142, promund@gmail.com
April, 2022		
Sat, 4/2	Wolves vs Admirals Hockey Rosemont Arena	TIC::Adolph Habich
Sat, 4/9	Anniversary Party	TIC NEEDED
Tue, 4/12	Triton Trib Deadline	Pam Romund 773-791-3142, promund@gmail.com
Sat, 4/23	Dinner & A Show	TIC NEEDED
Tue, 4/26	Business Meeting	Location TBD
May, 2022		
Tue, 5/10	Triton Trib Deadline	Pam Romund 773-791-3142, promund@gmail.com
Sat, 5/14	Walking Tour	TIC NEEDED
Tue, 5/24	Business Meeting	Location TBD
Sun, 5/29	Bike Ride, Walk and Eat	Milt & Margy Levenberg

TICs needed to run some of these events. Please contact Pam Romund, 773-791-3142, promund@gmail.com
Events Committee - Pam Romund, Joan Chibe, Adolph Habich, Scott Reimer

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SUPER BOWL PARTY

We'd like to invite the Tritons over for a Superbowl Party on Sunday, February 13th at 4:30 pm. The game starts at 5:30 pm. Feel free to bring a dish or drink to pass - or just come as you are.

Please RSVP by Saturday, February 12th. Here's our address:

Pete & Denice Kennedy
289 Fox Harbor Drive
Trout Valley, IL 60013
847-639-6711 denicekennedy@sbcglobal.net

Directions:

Take NW Highway to Cary-Algonquin Road.

Turn South on Cary-Algonquin Road to Country Commons Road

Turn East on Country Commons Road to Stonegate.

Turn Right on Stonegate Road until it deadends at River Drive.

Turn Right on River Drive and continue until you come to a clearing (which is a horse pasture) at Fox Harbor Drive

Turn Left on Fox Harbor, and we're the third house from the corner. You can park in the drive way, or on the street on the pasture side. If you go too far, Fox Harbor goes in a circle, so you can just circle around.

*** * * LUNAR NEW YEAR CELEBRATION * * ***
SATURDAY FEBRUARY 19, 2022
6:30 pm

TASTY CUISINE CHINESE RESTAURANT
1225 Elmhurst Road (Rt 83)
Des Plaines
6:30 PM

We must eat again in February, and have a good follow-up to Pizza Nite in January. We have been to this restaurant several times, and they give us LOTS of food (a qualification in my book). Let's celebrate the Chinese New Year (with hopes for a brighter year in 2022) in style, with good company and a good dinner.

Order from their menu and eat our hearts out.

Please inform the old TIC by Wed Feb 16th, and he will make appropriate reservations.

Jim Hynan
312-402-1506
Jhynan74@gmail.com

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FREE ADMISSION TO THE SHEDD
(\$3.00 Fee to reserve your spot)

The Shedd will have free admission days Feb. 7-11 and Feb. 14-18. It will be open 9 a.m.-5 p.m. those days.

The Shedd is open 9 a.m.-5 p.m. Thursday-Friday and 9 a.m.-6 p.m. Saturday-Sunday.

[Advance reservations](#) are required. You can book them online or over the phone by calling 312-939-2438. There is a \$3 processing fee for online reservations. Capacity is limited, and no walk-up tickets will be available.

Visitors must provide proof of residency at the museum via a valid Illinois state ID or driver's license to get free admission.

Proof of vaccination is required for everyone 5 and older, and visitors 16 and older must also show a photo ID that matches their vaccine cards. Masks are required for everyone older than 2.

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The following two articles are reprinted from Undercurrent On-Line. January, 2022

NATURE ADAPTS TO CIRCUMSTANCES

According to a new study published in the peer-reviewed journal *Nature Communications*, the plastic mass waste accumulating in the oceans provides a unique habitat for coastal species that may evolve to adapt to a life on floating plastic. A decade ago, marine researchers believed coastal organisms that live along sheltered shorelines could not survive in the inhospitable open ocean. Yet Japan's 2011 tsunami, which sent some 300 species of marine life riding durable and buoyant plastic garbage onto North American waters, disproved that.

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REMOTE WORKING IN THE TIME OF COVID?

Imagine those Zoom meetings or taking conference calls while enjoying the white sands and turquoise waters of the Cayman Islands. The Crown Colony has extended its Global Citizen Concierge Program to two years, so those with a proven annual income over \$100,000 and health insurance are invited to live and work remotely and dive headfirst into the Cayman way of life. Would suit a scuba diver!

<https://tinyurl.com/2p8mwdkd>

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554 S. Route 59
Naperville, IL 60540
630-820-2531

DJ'S SCUBA LOCKER

9301 W. Ogden Ave.
Brookfield, IL 60513
708-442-43883

HAIGH QUARRY

2738 E 2000 North Road
Kankakee, IL 60901
815-939-7797

PEARL LAKE RESORT

Highway 251
South Beloit, IL 61080
815-389-1479

PIRATE'S COVE DIVING

1103 West Oklahoma Avenue
Milwaukee, WI 53215
414-482-1430

SCUBA EMPORIUM

16336 S. 104th Avenue
Orland Park, IL 60467
708-226-1614

SCUBA SENSATIONS

2475 W. Pratt Blvd
Chicago, IL 60645
312-404-7785

UNDERSEAS SCUBA CENTER

611 N. Addison Avenue
Villa Park, IL 60181
630-833-8383

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ICE CASTLES LAKE GENEVA, WI JANUARY 30, 2022

Calling all Queen Elsa wannabees: your palaces await in Lake Geneva, Wisconsin. Ice artists create walk-through castles with tunnels, slide4s and frozen fountains etched into natural looking formations. At night colorful LEDs illuminate the ice. Looking for the perfect insta shot? Take a seat on an icy throne - the cold never bothered you anyway.

As of now the opening has been pushed back to the end of January so no tickets are available as yet. Please contact me to get your name on the list. Thanks!

TIC: Pam Romund 773-791-3142 promund@gmail.com

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Margy and her committee are looking for few good people to complete the line-up for the Board of Directors. Contact her for more info.



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